

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application)	PATENT APPLICATION
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Title: OPTIMIZATION OF CRITICAL)	
DIMENSIONS AND PITCH OF PATTERNED)	
<u>FEATURES IN AND ABOVE A SUBSTRATE</u>)	<u>Customer No. 64948</u>

RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This response is in reply to the Office Action mailed August 24, 2006.

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